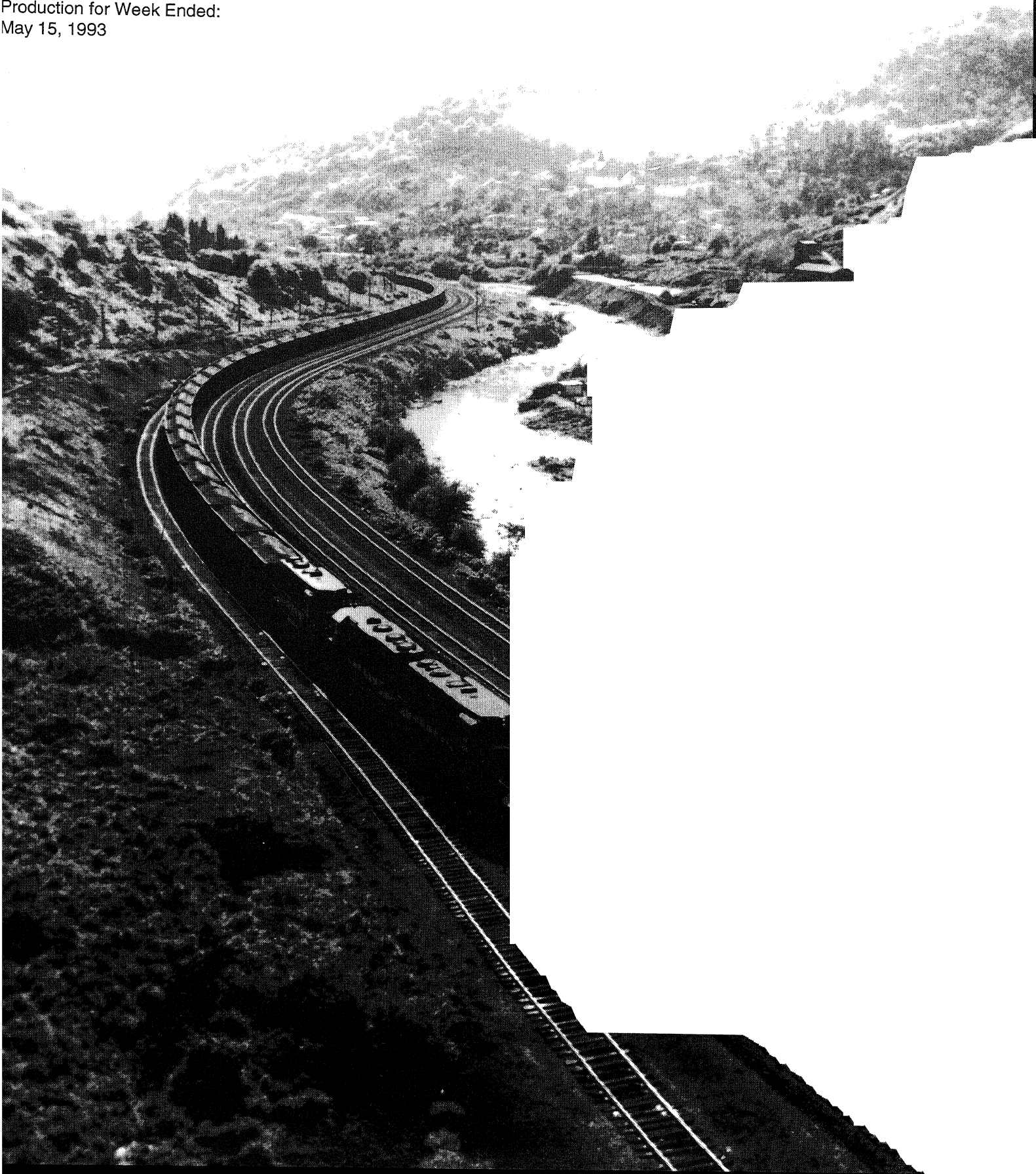




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# Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:  
May 15, 1993



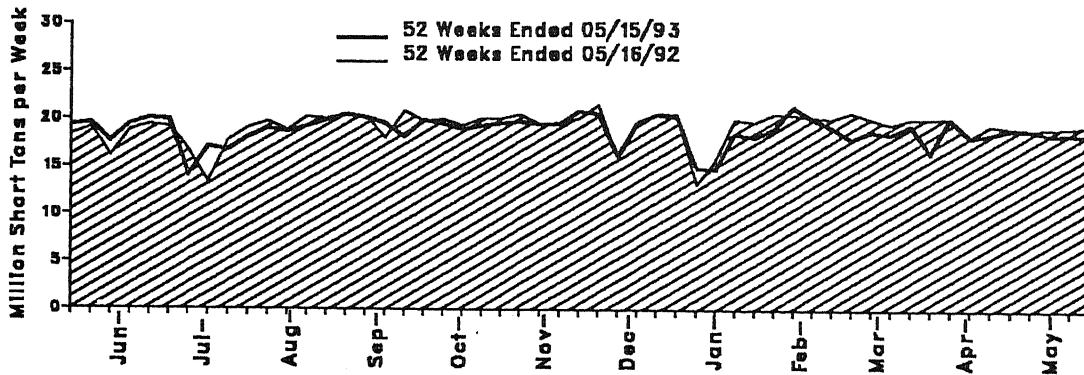
## Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended May 15, 1993, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration from railroad car loadings, totaled 18 million short tons. This was about the same as in the previous week and 6 percent lower than in the comparable week in 1992.

Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 11 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

On May 18, 1993, the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) expanded its strike to Ashland Coal Company and Arch Mineral Co. mining operations in southern West Virginia. Mining operations in Illinois, Indiana, and West Virginia, which have been struck by the UMWA, employ about 4,600 miners and produce about 700 thousand short tons per week.

Figure 1. Coal Production



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	52 Weeks Ended		
	05/16/92	05/15/93	Percent Change
19,212	972,441	992,552	-2.0
65	3,205	3,460	-7.4
19,277	975,646	996,013	-2.0
122,942	6,254,719	6,450,443	-3.0

use of independent rounding.  
statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration,  
d State mining agency coal production reports.

**Table 2. Weekly U.S. Coal Production by Region and State**  
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	05/15/93	05/08/93	05/16/92
<b>Bituminous Coal<sup>1</sup> and Lignite</b>			
East of the Mississippi .....	10,574	10,658	11,454
Alabama .....	511	538	495
Illinois .....	970	1,084	1,161
Indiana .....	550	539	639
Kentucky .....	3,037	2,917	3,033
Kentucky, Eastern .....	2,070	1,987	2,294
Kentucky, Western .....	967	930	739
Maryland .....	63	60	92
Ohio .....	659	704	560
Pennsylvania Bituminous .....	1,054	1,182	1,221
Tennessee .....	64	63	57
Virginia .....	813	803	946
West Virginia .....	2,853	2,769	3,249
West of the Mississippi .....	7,569	7,662	7,758
Alaska .....	30	30	29
Arizona .....	221	224	247
Arkansas .....	1	1	1
California .....	-	-	2
Colorado .....	384	365	415
Iowa .....	6	6	5
Kansas .....	5	6	7
Louisiana .....	75	65	98
Missouri .....	41	41	62
Montana .....	652	684	623
New Mexico .....	594	589	450
North Dakota .....	507	532	607
Oklahoma .....	38	37	38
Texas .....	924	934	1,047
Utah .....	369	377	421
Washington .....	95	96	110
Wyoming .....	3,627	3,675	3,595
Bituminous Coal <sup>1</sup> and Lignite Total .....	18,142	18,319	19,212
Pennsylvania Anthracite .....	77	85	65
U.S. Total .....	18,219	18,404	19,277

<sup>1</sup> Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

## Conta

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